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...ON COUNTY, }

...Circuit Court—December Term, A. D. ...1875.

...IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a cer... suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Madison McLeland ... McLeland are complainants, and ...R. Gorin, Mary Colville, Charles ... Phebe Harrell, Lilah Harrell, ...ah S. Erasmus Bowers, William ... Dilworth, Dennis N. Bowers ... Peters are defendants, and that ... has been issued in said cause, ...returnable at the Court House in Decatur, ...unty of Macon, State of Illinois, on

*...Monday of December, A. D. 1875,*

...unless you, the said defendants, ...h of you, their and there, appear... and answer or demur to said com...'s bill, the same and the allega...erein will be taken as confessed, and ...ed and decreed according to the prayer of ... B. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

...Edmunds and F. Lee and Isaac Pa... ...mants' solicitors.

...ber 2d, 1875—d&wtd

## CHANCERY NOTICE.

...IS HEREBY GIVEN TO DANIEL ...ve Margaret Lourks, Samuel ... Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth ... Barbara Fullerton, John H. Mc... George W. McGuigan and Peter ...n, that Charles S. Todd, as next... has filed his bill of complaint ...reof, on the ... day of ... last, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, and the clerk thereof has issued a writ of subpœna ... returnable on the first day of the next ... of the Circuit Court, to be holden ... the City of Decatur, within and for said county and State.

*...Monday of December, A. D. 1875,*

...and where, unless they, the said ...Louvre, Margaret Lourks, Samuel ... Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth ... Barbara Fullerton, John H. ...n, George W. McGuigan and ...McGuigan their aforesaid, ...swer or demur to said bill, the ... be taken as confessed, and ...ed against them.

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 24, 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

| | |
|---|---|
| Passenger | 1:16 p m |
| Freight and Accommodation | 7:00 a m |

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

| | |
|---|---|
| Passenger | 11,15 a m |
| Freight and Accommodation | 5,00 p m |

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Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 Through Express | | 3 10 a. m |
| " 3 Fast Express | | 10 15 a. m |
| " 5 Accommodation | | 1 20 p. m |
| GOING EAST: | | |
| No. 2 Lightning Express | | 11 20 p. m |
| " 4 Atlantic | | 12 20 p. m |
| " 6 New York Fast Line | | 4 50 p. m |

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Going west | 2:15 a. m | 8:30 p. m |
| Going west | 2:35 p. m | 9:30 p. m |

PEORIA DIVISION:

DEPART.

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| No. 71 Express | 7 50 a. m |
| " 73 Mail | 1 30 p. m |

ARRIVE:

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| No. 72 Express | 11 10 p. m |
| " 74 Mail | 9 50 a. m |

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

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| No. 41 Through Express | 3 15 a. m |
| " 43 Fast Express | 10 05 p. m |
| " 45 Accommodation | 5 15 a. m |

ARRIVE:

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|---|---|
| No. 42 Lightning Express | 11 15 p. m |
| " 44 Atlantic | 11 55 a. m |
| " 46 Accommodation | 9 20 p. m |

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K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

## Illinois Central R. R.

*Trains Leave Decatur.*

GOING NORTH.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Passenger | 4 35 A M | Sundays excepted |
| Stock Express | 11 00 A M | " " |
| Freight | 3 25 P M | " " |
| " & accom | 5 20 P M | " " |

GOING SOUTH.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Passenger | 5 20 P M | Sundays excepted |
| Accommodation | 11 00 A M | " " |
| Freight | 7 50 A M | " " |
| Freight | 3 10 P M | " " |

☞ The 3:25 train going north does not carry passengers.

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
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J. F. TUCKER, Gen. Frt't Ag't, "
C. C. JUDSON, Agent.

## ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

GOING EAST. No. 3.

| | |
|---|---|
| Leave Decatur | 7 00 a. m |
| Arrive at Terre Haute | 12 05 p. m. |
| " " Indianapolis | 4 10 " |
| " " Cincinnati | 9 20 " |
| " " Louisville | 11 10 " |

No. 1.

| | |
|---|---|
| Arrive from Peoria | 8 22 " |
| Leave Decatur | 8 25 " |
| Arrive at Terre Haute | 1 15 a. m. |
| " " Indianapolis | 4 00 " |
| " " Cincinnati | 9 10 " |

GOING WEST. No. 2.

| | |
|---|---|
| Arrive from Terre Haute | 6 50 a. m |
| Leave for Peoria | 7 30 " |
| Arrive at " | 11 10 " |
| " " Rock Island | 6 50 p. m. |
| " " Decatur | 2 10 p. m. |

☞ Train No. 4 arrives from the east at 9:40 p. m., and lays over here until the next morning at 7 o'clock, when it leaves for Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

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| STATIONS. | No. 2. | No. 4. | No. 6. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv Decatur | | | 2 00 p m |
| Ar Monticello | | | 4 10 " |
| " Champaign | | | 5 00 " |
| " Chicago | | | 7 30 a m |
| Lv Champaign | 6 45 a m | 11 00 a m | 11 55 p m |
| Ar Danville | 8 25 a m | 12 27 p m | 1 50 a m |
| C. V. & W. R. R. | | | |
| Lv Decatur | 6 05 a m | | 11 30 p m |
| " Tuscola | 7 25 a m | | 12 42 a m |
| Ar Danville | 8 00 a m | | 1 38 a m |
| C. I. & W. R. R. | | | |
| Lv Danville | 8 00 a m | 12 42 p m | 2 05 a m |
| " Clarkesburg | 12 40 p m | 5 10 p m | 6 15 a m |
| " Chelmsford | 6 00 p m | 8 27 p m | 12 15 p m |
| " Dayton | | 9 25 p m | 2 45 a m |
| " Columbus | | 11 30 p m | 5 55 p m |
| " Zanesville | | 2 42 a m | |
| " Cumberland | | 6 55 a m | |
| " Washington | 5 00 p m | 8 17 p m | 6 00 p m |
| " Baltimore | 6 00 p m | 6 45 p m | 6 45 p m |
| " Pittsburg | | 6 15 a m | 2 20 p m |
| " Harrisburg | | 9 35 p m | 11 35 a m |
| " Philadelphia | 10 45 p m | 6 20 p m | 3 35 p m |
| " New York | | 9 15 p m | 6 45 p m |
| " Crestline | | 4 20 a m | |
| " Cleveland | | 7 10 a m | |
| " Buffalo | | 1 10 p m | |
| " Boston | | 10 00 a m | |
| " Louisville | | 11 10 p m | 12 45 p m |
| " Nashville | | 7 00 a m | |

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| For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R. R. | 9:45 A. M. |
| " West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W. | 11:20 A. M. |
| " Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R. | 11:20 A. M. |
| " East and Chicago, on T. W. & W., | 1:00 P. M. |
| " East, on Ind. & Ill. Cent. | 1:00 P. M. |
| " Pekin & Peoria, on T., W. & W., | 1:00 P. M. |
| " Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W. | 1:00 P. M. |
| " South, on Ill. Cent. | 4:15 " |
| " Chicago, St. Louis & Lafayette, | 7:30 " |
| " North & East of Lafayette | 7:30 " |
| " Sullivan and Mattoon | 7:30 " |

MAILS ARRIVE

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|---|---|
| From South, St. Louis and East | 5:30 A. M. |
| " Sullivan and Mattoon | 5:30 " |
| " Chicago, Cincinnati and Lafayette | 7:30 " |
| " Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W. | 11:30 " |
| " Peoria, via I. M. R. R. | 11:30 " |
| " East, on I. & I. C. | 12:00 M. |
| " East & Pekin, on T. W. & W., | 12:00 P. M. |
| " Terre Haute, on I. M. R. R. | 12:00 " |
| " West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W. | 1:45 " |
| " North, on Illinois Central | 6:30 " |

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

### FOR THE LADIES.

A Montreal woman is in jail for husband-beating. So glad.—*Boston Post.*

It has been ascertained by the anthropologists that, as a rule, women become gray earlier than men. Why is it?

The young lady who was recommended to take exercise to improve her health, says that she "will jump at an offer and run her own risk."

Chinese women are cheap in San Francisco. Sixteen of them were sold at auction the other day and only brought eight dollars apiece. The purchasers were all Celestials.

Mount Holyoke Seminary has supplied one hundred and fifteen wives for foreign missionaries, the last two graduating classes furnishing eighteen.—They usually go abroad as teachers, and are speedily married by the missionaries.

She was one of those sentimental young creatures who linger at the doorway to bid you good-by in the starlight, and after she parted from him the other night, she went up to her rooms murmuring: "Yes, I would know it was hard times by the kind of hair oil he uses."

Married women gain much by journeying alone. For instance, when she travels accompanied by her husband she is obliged to wait on herself; whereas, if she is alone she cannot be shown too much attention or too many courtesies. This represents the two phases of American gallantry But then some people are happy if they can only carry a woman's shawl and traveling bag.

In the San Francisco jail is a girl only sixteen years old. She is excessively shy and demure, blushes when looked at by visitors, and faints when drunkards are brought bleeding and yelling into the prison. Her face is delicate and expressive of retiring modesty and gentleness Her name is Annette Gillard, and she is awaiting trial for stabbing a man four times with a big butcher knife, and then smashed his skull with a brick.

The Farmington *News* is responsible for the following: Rebecca Saunders and John K. Dickens took a train at Cambridge, Ill., to go to Toulon. Soon afterward they began a conversation with the conductor, who said that he accounted for his good temper by the fact that he married young. Whereupon John asked Rebecca if she thought marriage would keep him good natured. She thought it would. Would she undertake the job? Well, yes Right away? Just as lief as not. In ten minutes a justice of the peace was found in another car, all the passengers gathered to witness the ceremony, and the happy couple were made one while the train was rushing on toward Peoria.

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THE editor of the Bowmanville *Statesman* had a man fined ten dollars for throwing an ink bottle at him. Yet this editor has been slinging ink at everybody else for years—only he didn't sling it bottled up.

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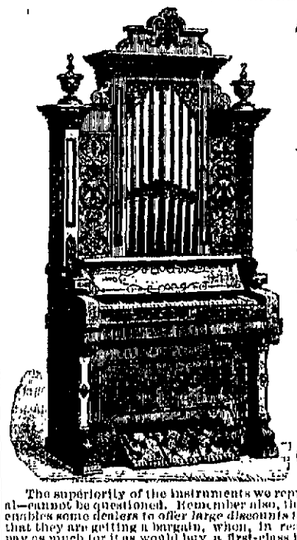

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ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public, Solicitor of Collections, Bankruptcy and War Claims. Office, over Busher's shoe store, E. Main street, Decatur, Ill. ☞ Special attention given to Bankruptcy and general collecting business. June 1, 1875—dawtf.

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office—Room 5, Powers' Block. *Prompt attention to business.*

D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

*OFFICE*:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

St. Nicholas Hotel,

LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois Bus to and from the cars. aug1-tf

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Bueller's shoe store

*Dr. A. S. Waltz,*

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1875—dsmoe

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1875-dwtf.

S. L. ODOR. S. E. ELDRIDGE

ODOR & ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [july 3, 1874-dly

EDWIN PARK,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [June19,'74-tf.

C. C. McCOMMS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 13, 1873-d&wtf.

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store on Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

J. Stebbins King, M. D.,

HAVING permanently located in Decatur I will attend promptly to all

PROFESSIONAL CALLS,

IN CITY OR COUNTRY,

DAY OR NIGHT

RESIDENCE: No. 48, North Main St. Office—Southeast corner Old Square, over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. May 21, 1874-dawtf.

I. A. DILLON. S. P. DAVIDSON

Dillon & Davidson,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Tecumseh Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [feb20-w1y.

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office in Central Block, over Wingate's Jewelry store, Merchant street. August 3, 1875—d1f

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. dawtf

R. B. GRUELLE,

PORTRAIT PAINTER!

HAVING opened my Studio on the south side of the New Square, over Skinner's drug store, I am prepared to paint Portraits in the highest style of the art, at low prices. Satisfaction guaranteed, May 26, 1875-d&wtf

*B. I. STERRATT,*

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

OFFICE—Southeast cor. of the old square, in the office formerly occupied by S. O. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. [june 1-dawly

Lizzie P. James, M. D.,

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN, having permanently located in Decatur, respectfully solicits patronage.

*Obstetrics, and Diseases of Women, a specialty*

OFFICE:—17 East Main street, over Lindberger & Sutton's book store. March 22, 1875 d1y

DR. P. B. SPARRS,

*HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.*

OFFICE:—*Over the new Post Office.* Residence—No. 44 North Main street. April 21, 1874—d&m6.

*M. A. MYER,*

*House, Sign & Fresco*

PAINTER,

Glazier, Grainer & Paper Hanger.

THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

☞ Shop over Quinlan & Bro.'s Carpet Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill. March 17 1870-y!


## CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to George B. Wood that Eddy Wood has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER NEXT, when and where, unless said George B. Wood shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken for confessed against him.

EDMUNSON McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill. NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl'ts. Decatur, Ill., Oct. 26, A. D. 1875. 116-d4w

## CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Marilla A. D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen, that Reuben H. Merriweather has filed his bill of complaint in chancery, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against them as defendants; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendants, returnable into said court, at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

*First Monday in December next,*

when and where, unless said Marilla A. D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against them. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill. Decatur, Oct. 25, 1875—d4w

# The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER,
S. K. HAMSHER,
J. S. MOSSER. } Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
*Saturday Evening, Oct. 30.*


## Republican County Ticket.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE M. WOOD.
For County Surveyor,
GEORGE V. LORING.

### THANKSGIVING.

**Proclamation by the President of the United States.**

In accordance with a practice, at once wise and beautiful, we have been accustomed, as the year is drawing to a close, to devote an occasion to an humble expression of thanks to Almighty God for ceaseless and distinguished benefits bestowed upon us as a nation, and for His mercies and protection during the closing year. Amid the rich and free enjoyment of all our advantages, we should not forget the scource from whence they are derived, and extend our obligation to the Father of All Mercies. We have full reason to renew our thanks to Almighty God for favors bestowed upon us during the past year. By His continuing mercy, civil and religious liberty have been maintained; peace has reigned within our borders; labor and enterprise have produced their merited rewards, and to His watchful providence we are indebted for security from pestilence and other national calamities. Apart from the other national blessings, each individual among us has occasion to thoughtfully recall and devoutly recognize the favors and protection which he has enjoyed.

Now, therefore, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of the United States, do recommend that on

THURSDAY, THE 25th DAY OF NOVEMBER,

the people of the United States, from their accustomed vocations, do assemble in their respective places of worship, and in such form as may seem most appropriate in their own hearts, offer to Almighty God their acknowledgments and thanks for all His mercies, and their humble prayers for the continuance of His divine favor. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this 27th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1875, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundredth.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT, President.
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

MR. PARK will not find it necessary to have a clerk when he goes back to his farm, for that seems to be a business which he understands. We leave our readers to draw the inference.

WE will wager a nickel that during the whole terms of office of Dr. Curtis and W. M. Boyd, (about ten years) their *necessary* clerk hire did not amount to one-tenth as much as Mr. Park's two years—an indication that the two former did not lack capacity.

THE campaign in Chicago is red hot. Hesing, the opposition candidate for county treasurer, has announced that he wants the office for the purpose of retrieving his ruined fortunes. How this is to be done on a salary of $4,000 per year is hard to determine, but then the bill for "*necessary* clerk hire" can be made, like charity, to cover a multitude of sins.

YESTERDAY'S edition of the county treasurer's organ bears evidence of the dissatisfaction which the insane course of the ostensible editor has caused in the minds of the real masters of the concern. The paper yesterday showed the earmarks of another editor, and that editor the versatile and honest Farmer Jack. But the public can overlook and excuse the bold and reckless lying of Jack, just for the novelty of getting a better quality of English than that which usually adorns the paper.

MR. PARK has been indicted by the people for playing the double game of retrenchment and reform and salary grabbing. He sees the "necessary clerk hire," but the people don't, and they will not only go him "one better," but several hundred. The people will "raise the blind" so that Mr. Park will "see it" in a different light. He will retire to the peaceful haunts of his farm a sadder but a wiser man.

THE EDICT HAS GONE FORTH.—It is now given forth that for the next season there is to be a pin-back and-front instead of a pin-back alone. That is to say, that is to say the dresses of next season will be as tight in the rear as those of the present season are tight in front, while the tightness in front will not be diminished. This is said to be the edict that has gone forth from Paris, the pin backs having been so successful. Bustles, panniers and all that sort of protuberances, are to be relegated to the waste basket from which they so largely sprung. So, instead of spreading out, a general shrinkage will be the order of the day, and the slimmest woman will be happiest.

THE Peoria *Democrat* says to its followers, "Don't scratch!" In this appeal the *Democrat* interferes with a Democratic prerogative which, like the "right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," is "inalienable." It is the right of every Democrat to "scratch" except on election day.—*Nat. Journal.*

**Pike**, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

FARMER PARK and his backers have affected to care but little about the "*necessary* clerk hire" matter, and have pretended to pass it by with what that eminent agriculturist, Farmer Coltrin, would call "the most superoilious pertinacity," but that they have become sensible of the damage it is causing them is proven by the fact that the have sent legal gentlemen to the country to address the people on the question, and to prove by reading the constitution and the statute, and expounding the same. But we have not yet heard that any of these legal gentlemen have succeeded in convincing the people that the law makes Mr. Park the judge as to the amount of clerk hire necessary, or that it justifies him in paying for it out of the county funds *without warrant or authority of any kind.*

### THE "STONEWALL" STATUE.

The statue is of bronze, of heroic size, representing Jackson, in his uniform of Lieutenant General, standing erect, with head uncovered, his face turned slightly to the right. He is standing by a pile of hewn stone (a bit of *stone wall*), a military cloak thrown over his left arm, and his left hand grasping the hilt of his unsheathed sword, of which the point lightly rests against the stones. His right hand, holding a gauntlet, is placed easily upon his hip. Of the statue, now that it is exposed to public view, one may say that, while the face is like Jackson, and the attitude fine, the form is entirely too robust and burly, as he was lank and angular. It is erected in Capitol Square, north of the the Capitol, facing south, upon a pedestal of Virginia granite (designed by Mr. E. V. Valentine, of this city), about eight feet high. On this pedestal the following inscriptions are cut in gilded letters:

PRESENTED BY ENGLISH GENTLEMEN
As a tribute of Admiration for the Soldier and Patriot,
THOMAS J. JACKSON,
And gratefully Accepted by Virginia in the Name of the Southern People.

Done A. D. 1875, in the 100th Year of the Commonwealth

*"Look! There Is Jackson Standing Like a Stone Wall!"*

### PRESUMPTION OF PASSAGE OF LAWS.

Ever since the adoption of the new constitution, which prescribes certain formalities to be gone through with in the passage of bills by the Legislature, it has been a question how far the law would presume bills to have been properly passed. The question was raised in the case of Harrison vs. the Peoria, Atlanta & Decatur railroad company, lately decided by the Supreme Court for the central grand division. The circumstances of the case and what the court hold will be seen by the following syllabus of the opinion:

When a law is signed by the speakers of both houses and approved by the Governor, it will be presumed to have been passed in conformity with all the requirements of the constitution, and that it is valid until the presumption is overcome by legitimate proof, clear and convincing in its character.

The journals of the Senate showed that Senate bill No. 453, "For an act to incorporate the Peoria, Atlanta and Danville railroad company," was introduced, read a first and second time, and referred to a committee, and that the committee to whom was referred Senate bill 453, "for an act entitled an act to incorporate the Peoria, Atlanta & Decatur railroad company," reported back the same with amendments, and that the same was engrossed for a third reading, and finally passed upon the call of the ayes and nays. Held that the proof failed to raise even a doubt of the passage of the bill, and that these entries failed to show that there were two bills pending of the same number, and that the number showed its identity.

### "AWAY IN THE CANNIBAL ISLANDS."

The Chicago *Tribune* has a special dispatch from Boston regarding the fate of the crews of a couple of vessels which sailed from that port about a year ago, for the South Pacific ocean, and were not heard from until a few days ago. The story which now comes is to the effect that the vessels were beached in the vicinity of the Auckland Islands, and laid there together several days. They were boarded at night by cannibals, who came in large numbers, overpowered the crews, plundered the ships and scuttled them. The men were carried prisoners to the shore, and furnished food for the horrible feast of their captors. No particulars of the fight or of the survivors' escape were obtained, but the facts are pretty well authenticated, and the long absence of the vessels furnishes good ground for believing that the story may be true. Precautions are usually taken against surprises in these waters, but in this case no danger was suspected and no lookout was kept.

THE Fourth Congressional District of Tennessee appears to be an unlucky one. In August last, a man by the name of Read was elected Congressman, and he died a few days afterward. A new election was called, and Hon. S. M. Fite was elected to fill the vacancy Now comes the report that Mr. Fite is dead, and the District is again left without a representative. Under such circumstances politicians who have a streak of superstition in their making up will hardly care about running for an office that death seems to be determined shall not be filled. By the way, the mortality among members of the Forty Fourth Congress has been very large, thus far

## TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.
[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

## The New York Times Sued for Libel.

## DEATH OF HON. AMASA WALKER.

## Great Damage by Storms Last Night.

## STIRRING NEWS FROM THE FRONTIER.

### *U. S. Soldiers Beaten by Indians.*

### Snow Storm at Omaha.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Late yesterday afternoon an order of arrest was is sued by Police Justice Duffy against the editors of the *Times* on complaint of James T. King, Tammany nominee for the Legislature.

The *Times* this morning, says that Kelly, or his Tammany tools, may apply for orders of arrest against editors of newspapers three days before the election and thus endeavor to silence all adverse criticism of him or his creatures, but if he supposes that this course will induce the people to turn out and vote for him next Tuesday, he will find himself miserably deceived. The public know what the *Times* has risked in their behalf before to-day. We are quite content to place our character and reputation against those of John Kelly.

Jones & Jennings, proprietors of the *Times*, gave bail to-day in the sum of $1,000, in the libel suit instituted by James T. King, a Tammany candidate for the assembly.

The produce market was excited yesterday by an advance in October pork from $21 75 to $22 25, due to the heavy short interest and an attempt of the bears to cover their contracts.

In the trial suit of Samuel M. Archer against the Ocean National Bank, yesterday, in the United States Court, one of the counsel for the plaintiff publicly retracted the accusations made against Mr. Stevenson, cashier of the bank at the time of the robbery, that he assisted the burglars in their work.

The suspension of Fairfield & Trask, produce and commission dealers, Chambers street, was announced yesterday. A meeting of the creditors has been called to protect their general interests, and the extension asked will be readily granted. Mr. Fairfield is President of the Butter and Cheese Exchange.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—Charles Weston, the third of the colored murderers of Woisburg, the Jew peddler, was today convicted and sentenced to be hung December 17th, the same day as his accomplices.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—A Binghamton dispatch says that while a party were boating on the Susquehanna at Unadilla, day before yesterday, the boat upset and all were precipitated into the water. Maurice Goodrich and wife, of Worcester, N. Y., and Moorehouse and wife, of Unadilla, were drowned. The Goodriches were on their wedding trip.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 29.—A *Republican* Kansas City special says news of a startling nature was received there today in regard to the fight which took place on Tuesday between the United States troops near Fort Hayes and a wandering band of Cheyenne Indians. In that fight the Indians drove back the troops and killed two men. Fresh troops were forwarded from the fort.

A dispatch received at the office of the Kansas Pacific road, to-night, states that the fresh troops were attacked by the Indians, while camped near Smoky Hill river, on Thursday, and the Indians were again successful, and made the soldiers retreat with the loss of one man killed and one badly wounded. Gen. Carr's command had left Fort Hayes by special train to the seat of war.

AUBURN, ILL., Oct. 29.—A few minutes past 5 o'clock this evening, one of the most terrific rain and wind storms of the season struck our town, blowing down and completely demolishing the new two story brick building belonging to Messrs. Stout & Burtle.

The building was 26x70, two stories high, with a basement story 14 feet high and a public hall above with a 15 foot ceiling. The brick walls were all about finished, and the carpenters had just finished putting in the joist above, preparatory for roofing.

PEKIN, ILLS., Oct. 29.—A terrible hail and rain storm swept over this place at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Drops of hail the size of hen's eggs continued to fall for some time, and the rain fell in torrents. It is still storming (at 5:59) and fears are entertained that it will do much damage to railroads and bridges. It is considered the worst storm of the year.

BOSTON, October 29.—Amasa Walker died to-day, aged 76.

At the final meeting of the creditors of the Ames Plow Company, it was decided that the company should continue business. The creditors will either grant extension, or the company will avail itself of the offer made by responsible parties to furnish the ready capital needed.

BOSTON, Oct. 29.—In the suit of C. O. Gott vs. Boston *Herald*, for $50,000 damages for libel, in calling the Cardiff giant a fraud, the jury to-day rendered a verdict for defendants.

ATLANTA, Ga., October 29.—In the United States Court, this morning, the case of Wilmer and others, first mortgage bondholders, against the Atlanta & Richmond Air Line Railroad Company, was decided in favor of plaintiffs, and it is decreed that the trustees shall sell the entire property. The first mortgage amounts to $4,248,000. The accrued interest unpaid to date is about $700,000. The road extends from Atlanta, Ga., to Charlotte, N. C., two hundred and sixty-five miles.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 29.—The decision of the court in the matter of alimony *pendente lite*, Young vs. Young, was delivered in the Third District Court, this morning, by Judge Breman. The judgment of the court is that the defendant be imprisoned until the $9,500 and costs of the suit are paid and released by the court. In accordance with the above Marshal Maxwell arrested Brigham Young this afternoon at the latter's residence, where he now remains in custody of the Marshal.

DES MOINES, October 29.—It commenced to sleet and snow here about 6 o'clock this evening, and continued till 10 o'clock. The snow is now about half an inch deep.

Mrs. Emma Haddock, of Iowa City, was to-day admitted to practice in the United States Circuit and District Courts of the city. She will be the first female lawyer ever admitted to Federal Courts in the United States.

PORTLAND, ME., Oct. 29.—This afternoon, as a man named Small was riding in a wagon on Commercial street, near the railroad wharf, he saw two children playing on the track and a train backing down on them. He sprang from his wagon to rescue the children, and succeeded in doing so, but was himself run over by the train and killed.

CHICAGO, October 29.—About 10 o'clock to-night, a fire broke out in the double brick building near the corner of Canal and Madison streets, owned by F. G. Welch, and occupied by various parties as a carriage establishment, etc. The building with the contents was entirely destroyed. Loss estimated at $30,000; insurance about half.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 29.—An Athens, Ohio, special says Cramsley, a colored man, with his wife and infant, left three small children alone while they started to town this evening, and the house took fire, burning the children to death. The fire is supposed to have been caused by the overturning of a lamp by the children.

ROLLA, Mo., Oct. 29.—A hail storm of unprecedented violence passed over this section to day. Hail stones were about the size of pigeon eggs. Almost every pane of glass in the west side of the houses are broken.

MONTPELIER, Vt., October 29.—The suspension of Henry B. Fifield, flour and grain dealer, is reported. Liabilities are estimated at $40,000.

OMAHA, Oct. 29.—A severe snow and wind storm prevailed to-day throughout this section; snow fell to the depth of two inches.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—Pettengill & Campbell, merchants of this city, have failed. Liabilities are stated to be $2,000,000.

Cases of foot and mouth disease among cattle are rapidly diminishing, and many districts are entirely free from distemper. Most of the inconveniences which were felt are now at an end.

## CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO FRANK Curtis that Mary Ann Curtis has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House at Decatur, in said county, on the

*First Monday in December next,*

when and where, unless said Frank Curtis shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against him.

EDMISTON MCCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 18, 1875. 19-d6w

## ASSIGNEE'S SALE
—OF—
## REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, assignee in bankruptcy of Franklin Priest, bankrupt, will, on the 7th day of November, A. D. 1875, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m., and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Franklin Priest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of lot nine (9) and lot ten (10), in block one (1), in Central Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur; also lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block six (6), in Smith & Co's Addition to Decatur; also lots two (2) and three (3), in Block "D," in the village of Oakley; also the north half of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eighteen (18), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian—all the above described real estate being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois. Also lot three (3), in block seven (7), in Dartown of Atlanta, in the county of Logan, in said State of Illinois.

M. F. KANAN,
Oct 26 d1w Assignee in Bankruptcy.


## *New Advertisements.*

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**Powerful Cast of Characters.**

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Count De Linieres, Minister of Police, —Mr. Charles Thornton
Picard, valet to the Chevalier, —Mr. Flint Kennicott
Marquis De Presles ..... Mr. Walter James
Doctor of the Hospital St. Louis and Salpetriere... ...Mr. Dan Loane
Officer of the Guard..... Mr. J. H. Brown
Latour, in the service of the Marquis De Presles ..... ...Mr. Wm. Rose
Martin, citizen of Paris...Mr. Geo. W. Smith
De Mailley..... ..... Mr. J. E. Thomson
Antoine ..... .....Mr. J. W. Mortimer
Countess Diane De Linieres, —Miss Virginia Richmond
Louise, } The Two } .....Miss Flora Baker
Henriette, } Orphans } Miss Genevieve Howard
Sister Genevieve, Matron of La Salpetriere..... ...Miss Kitty Morant
La Frochard, mother of Pierre and Jacques . . .Miss Mary Wallack
Marianne, an outcast...Miss Tillie McIlhenny
Julie..... .....Miss Josie Louns
Agnes..... ...Miss Minnie Winters
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Sister Theresa ..... Agnes Kennicott
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Oct. 29-d3t

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Decatur, Oct. 30, 1876—dly


## TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Albert Widick and Mary E. Widick, his wife, of Macon county, Illinois, did, on the fifth day of April, A. D. 1875, by their deed of trust, convey to Kilburn H. Roby, Trustee, the real estate hereinafter described; which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's office, of Macon county, Illinois, in Book 35, page 498, and was made to secure payment of two promissory notes of said Albert Widick, bearing even date with said deed of trust, payable to the order of James H. Venable, each for the sum of $1250, and due in one and two years after date respectively, and bearing interest at ten per cent. per annum from date, payable semi-annually, and upon which notes will be due, December 5th, 1875, $1693 18;

And whereas, it is provided by said deed of trust, that if default be made in payment of any of the interest upon said notes on the day or days when said interest becomes due, the effect shall be to render the entire sum of the principal and interest specified immediately due and payable, without demand of payment; and on application of the legal holder of said notes, it shall be lawful for said trustee, after publishing notice thereof in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, for thirty days, to sell said premises at auction, at the place thereinafter named, to the highest bidder for cash, and to execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed to the premises sold:

And whereas, default has been made in payment of interest due on each of said notes, the October 5th, 1875, thereby rendering the principal of said notes due and payable, and William Taylor, assignee of James H. Venable, having requested said trustee to advertise and sell said premises, under the power contained in said deed of trust. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that

*On Wednesday, the first day of December,*

A. D. 1875, at ten o'clock, a. m., at the outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, the undersigned, trustee, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), in township seventeen (17) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, and all homestead and dower rights, and all right of equity of redemption of said Albert Widick and Mary E. Widick therein, to pay said notes and interest thereon, and the costs of said sale, as by said deed of trust is provided.

KILBURN H. ROBY, Trustee.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 30th, 1875—d3t


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## CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Macon County Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1875.

IRA HARRIS, Jr., vs. JAS. H. FERGUSON
BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

AFFIDAVIT that James H. Ferguson defendant, above-named,—has gone out of the State of Illinois,—having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James H. Ferguson, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1875, as is required by law.

Now, unless you, the said James H. Ferguson, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the

*First Monday of December,* A. D. 1875,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Compl't.
Dec'dtr, Oct. 23 1875—d6w

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Moultrie county, Illinois, in favor of Elijah Dennis and against Alfred Dennis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

Seventy-six (76) feet front of the west side of lot two (2), in William Martin's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, running one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet back from Wood street.

Taken as property of the said Alfred Dennis, and I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of one o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 30th day of October, A. D. 1875.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Oct. 2 d3w Sheriff Macon county.


# NEW GOODS
—AT THE—
# CHEAP CASH DRY GOODS HOUSE
# Hays & Bruce

Invite special attention to fresh arrivals of the

LATEST FALL STYLES
—IN—
# DRESS GOODS!

In all the New and Fashionable Fabrics and Shades, at low prices.

**Imported and Domestic Shawls, Imported Beaver Cloth Cloaks, New Cloths and Cassimers,**

For men and boys, Plain, Plaid and Striped WATER-PROOFS, all grades, complete assortment of Ladies', Children's and Mens' UNDERWEAR, in different weights and sizes, full lines of Ladies' and Children's Cashmere, Merino, Wool and Cotton Hosiery, plain, and Balmoral Yarns and Felt Skirts.

## OUR DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

Is "chock" full of all kinds of Domestic Goods, all prices, Plain and Plaid Flannels, New Fringes, New Trimmings, large stock of Yak Laces, Collars, Cuffs, Ruches and Ruching, Kid Gauntlets, Kid Gloves, Table Oil Cloths, Curtain Hollands, Nottingham Lace Curtains, Valences and Lambrequins, New Quilts, Towels, Table Cloths—in fact, as large and complete a stock of Dry Goods as was ever shown in the city—*all marked in plain figures,* and ONE PRICE TO EVERYBODY.

Sept. 20, 1875-3awtf.

# FALL AND WINTER GOODS!
# S. EINSTEIN

Has now on hand his full stock of

## Fall and Winter Goods,

Which consists of a full line of choice

*Dress Goods, Silks, Cashmeres, Japanese Poplins and White Goods, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels.*

Also, a full line of

*CASSIMERES, JEANS, TWEEDS, DENIMS*

A complete assortment of

*BLEACHED and BROWN DOMESTICS.*

A full line of

*Notions, Ladies' and Gent's Furnishing Goods, Shawls and Wrapping Goods,*

All of which will be sold at bottom figures.

☞ We specify no prices, but invite all to call and see for themselves that what we say we mean. We will not be undersold by any house in the city.

*DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:*

NO. 21 NORTH WATER STREET

Sept. 29, 1875—tawtf.

# KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!
# WAYNE BROTHERS,
MANUFACTURERS OF
## CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES,
PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

*OLD STAND OF DANIEL GAHMAN,*
**Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.**

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order, PONY PHAETONS, PRINCE ALBERTS PIANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of

**Sleighs Made to Order!**

☞ FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY. ☜

November 17, 1875. d&w-9m.

# SOMETHING NEW!
# F. HEINLA,
PRACTICAL
# ORGAN BUILDER!

Has opened a shop, on the northeast corner of E. Main and Franklin streets, where he is prepared to build

**Parlor and Church Organs**
OF ALL GRADES;

Also, to do all kinds of

**Organ Repairing**
At reasonable rates.

☞ Best of references given, if required
DECATUR, ILL., Sept. 20, 1875—d2m*


## CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO RUFUS E. Holmes, that Benjamin Z. Taylor, complainant, has filed his bill of complaint in chancery, against him, the said Rufus E. Holmes, in connection with James M. Taylor, Benjamin J. Taylor (this writer) Ann King, Thomas M. Taylor, Lucinda D. Taylor (this wife), William O. Taylor, Laura L. Taylor, (his wife), Amanda Jemima Taylor, Edmiston McClellan, her guardian, Joseph R. Boswell and Henry C. Wyman, defendants, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, and that summons has been issued thereon, returnable into said court, where said cause is now pending, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, said county and State, on the

*First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,*

when and where, unless he, the said Rufus E. Holmes, shall appear and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against him.

EDMISTON MCCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill.
CREA & RWING, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 25, 1875—d4w


**Everything** that is new and desirable in Pompadours, Pantalettes, at Linn & Scruggs'.
oct 7-dtf

**200 Second-hand Stoves** cheap, at Ashby's, opera house.



# The Daily Republic

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
*Saturday Evening, Oct.*

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..Remember that Stoy & Bishop are selling all kinds of furniture at a big discount. Call and be convinced.

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..Simpson's bread is all the go. Everybody wants it.

..Danville people are getting excited over a trial between the "Jones & Clapp," steam fire engine and the "Hadley." We suppose the machine that does the best work will be instituted guardian of the wealth of Danville. Decatur, rejoicing in the protection of her splendid water works, has done away with fire engines.

..Warm meals, and oysters in every style, at Ansback & Cassell's restaurant.

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..All approved patent medicines can be obtained at Armstrong's.

..The fine and commodious store room put up this season by John Wilson, Esq., is now about completed. The carpets and drapery for the dwelling are from the extensive rooms of Abel & Locke. And in fact all things connected with the new store of this house are some like the new window drapery, which is unique and elegant, and will meet with universal admiration. This house is now furnishing some very rare specimens of goods for the fine residence of Col. Busher, Esq.

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27-d4w1


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**Presbyterian Church.**—Regular services at the Presbyterian church tomorrow. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

**Religious Notice.**—Rev. A. B. White, of Springfield, O., will preach at the Baptist Church next Sabbath, morning and evening. The public are invited.

**First M. E. Church.**—Preaching at the First M. E. Church to-morrow at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. Horace Reed. Subject in the evening, "The rich man and Lazarus." All the seats free.

**Stapp's Chapel,**—Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. W. D. Best. Hymn and tune books of the latest publication, have been purchased, and put in all the seats, with a view to securing congregation singing. Seats free. The public are invited.

**Christian Church.**—Preaching at the opera house to-morrow morning, by the pastor, "The Church, socially considered." There will be no services in the evening.

**Universalist** preaching to-morrow, at the usual hours of service, in court house block, in the hall opposite the county treasurer's office. In the evening the pastor will deliver the fourth lecture in the course on "Human Progress." All are cordially invited.

**For Sale.**—9 65-100 acres, one and one half miles northwest of the city. Improvements: One and a half story frame house of 5 rooms, good well and cistern, and 75 bearing apple trees; cheap, and on favorable terms. Apply to
WARREN & DURFEE.

300 acres, all under fence—250 acres plow land, balance timber, with living water; two-story house, 7 rooms; new barn, 36 by 40, and other first-class improvements. A splendid stock farm, at the low price of $45 per acre.

160 acre farm in Wheatland township, all under cultivation, all dry land, cheap at $40 per acre.
WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

**You can save** in your general purchases from 10 to 20 per cent. by buying your goods of Linn & Scruggs'
oct 7-d&wtf

..It is said that trees transplanted in the fall have a great advantage over the same kind of trees when transplanted in the spring. If this is the case—and it seems to be the opinion of men who have given the matter a thorough test—by all means let us have the places of the dead trees in the park supplied with fresh ones this fall. If the men and women of to-day are to derive any pleasure or benefit from our park, it is not best to put off such work as setting out shade trees any longer. If the city finances will not justify the outlay, let us all contribute our mite and have the matter attended to before the ground freezes. It will take about $25 to get what trees are needed. Who seconds the motion? Those whose shade trees in and about their grounds have died during the year will do well to replace them this fall.

**Funeral Obsequies.**—The funeral services of Mrs. Harriet Bristow, the late wife of Mr. Henry Bristow, which took place yesterday, at the Antioch Baptist church, were largely attended, the house being crowded to its full capacity, and numbers failing to gain admittance.—The services were conducted by the Pastor, Rev. Mr. Gray, and were very interesting and impressive. Mrs. Bristow was a highly respected colored lady, and her family will have the sincere sympathy of their many acquaintances.

**Burn Western Coal,** and do it in a western stove. The celebrated "Rotary" soft coal base burner, which our readers will remember was shown in operation at the St. Nicholas Hotel last summer, and was so much admired, has been taking nearly all the first premiums at the fairs this season. It took the first premium at the Illinois State Fair, also at the Iowa and Indiana State Fairs, the Central Fair, Peoria, Union Fair, Galesburg, Union Fair, Wenona, and over twenty others. It is now acknowledged to be the best soft coal burner ever produced. It is the strongest heater by far. For durability it is guaranteed for five years. Call and see it in operation, at R. C. Crocker's, No. 9 Water street. *Every stove warranted.*

**Opening of Winter Millinery**—Thursday, Nov. 4, 1875. Post Office Block, up stairs.
30-d5d* MRS. L. A. PATTERSON.

**Piles of Fruit** of all kinds at Sylvester Brothers. Their display of goods is exceedingly tempting, and they sell at hard-pan figures. People will find this a good place to buy all kinds of groceries and provisions. Third door north of opera house entrance.

**Thirty Years.**—Last evening Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Johns celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage. Notwithstanding the terrible condition of the weather a large number of their friends assembled at their residence to help celebrate the happy event, and the evening was spent in various old fashioned amusements, much to the delight of everybody. We are sorry that the inclemency of the weather prevented our acceptance of the kind invitation to be present.

**Early Closing.**—The following agreement among the boot and shoe dealers of the city speaks for itself, and indicates the wishes of those engaged in this branch of mercantile business in regard to the early closing movement, and we trust that all branches of trade will follow this example:

We, the undersigned, boot and shoe men of Decatur, do agree to close our respective places of places at half-past seven o'clock, p. m., until further notice.
W. F. BUSHER,
G. F. WESSELS,
MARSH & THOMAS,
V. BARBER & CO.,
L. L. FERRISS.

**Caution to Water Consumers.**—Water consumers are requested to examine their supply pipes and notice if they are exposed, or liable to freeze at any point; if so they should be protected; also notice particularly if when a hydrant is shut off the water in it wastes or runs down readily; if not it needs attention. By observing the above much trouble and expense may be avoided.
S. BURGESS, Sup't.

**The Theatre.**—Notwithstanding the severe storm last evening, a large audience gathered at the opera house to witness the presentation of the "Two Orphans" by Mr. Frank E. Aiken and his splendid company. The play was new here, and was put upon the boards in fine style. The snow scene is in the highest degree beautiful, and is in itself worth the price of admission. The company gives a matinee this afternoon, and presents the same piece again this evening.

..The Duquoin *Tribune* talks to one of its would-be correspondents in the following plain style:

A communication from an earnest friend and patron of the *Tribune*, entitled "My Railroad Ride" is rejected. We should be glad to please the author by giving it room in our paper, but as it is lacking in interest, and comes far from being what it should be to secure insertion, we respectfully decline its publication.

We are of the opinion that "an earnest friend and patron of the *Tribune*" will be rather a cool friend after reading the above paragraph.

**Important Change of Railroad Time.**—We call attention to the change in the time-table of the T., W. & W. Railway, which goes into effect on Sunday, Nov. 1st. Under the new arrangement St. Louis papers will reach here more than an hour earlier than heretofore.

**Signor Blitz** will be on hand on Monday with his wonderful performances in sleight-of-hand, together with a variety of other unique and taking entertainments, and will exhibit at the opera house on Monday and Tuesday evenings, with a grand matinee on Tuesday afternoon. Remember that 150 valuable presents are given away each evening and at the matinee.

**A Costly Pipe.**—Mr. James Keefe was yesterday presented with a magnificent Turkish meerschaum pipe, elaborately trimmed with gold, and valued at $150. It was presented by an old California friend.

**Prince Albert Coats and Vests,** the latest novelties in patterns, made up not to be excelled in merchant tailoring, in stock, at bottom prices, at B. Stine's.
Oct. 4-d1m

**Sylvester Brothers,** Staple and Fancy Grocers, 49 North Water street. [24-dtf

**Children's Clothing,** just received today by express, all sizes, from three years old and upwards, in large varieties, at B. STINE'S.

The above goods are warranted to fit, and in workmanship cannot be excelled.
oct. 29-dtf

**Pike, the Jeweler,** keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

**Berlin Zephyr,** Canvas Slipper Patterns, and lots of fancy goods, sold very cheap, at GOLDBURG'S.
27-d4w1

**Genuine Seal Skin Furs,** in muffs, boas and sacques; also Mink Furs, in great variety and cheap, at
oct 7-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

**Einstein** is selling Dry Goods cheaper than ever. [26-d6t

**S. Einstein** is doing a rushing business. Why? Because he is selling goods cheaper than ever before. [26-d6t

**Stoy & Bishop** have an immense stock of choice brooms, which they will sell single, or by the dozen, at 25c a piece.

**A New Lot of Cloaks** just received, at Einstein's. [26-d6t

THAT Canada is gradually becoming Americanized, is shown by the fact that Thursday last was observed as a day of Thanksgiving throughout the Province of Ontario. The attempt to anticipate us by four weeks was probably justifiable, when we remember how little the Canucks have to be thankful for amid the rigors of a Canadian winter, but they can scarcely excel the genuine thankfulness which prevails around a Yankee board well furnished with regulation turkey and traditional pumpkin pies.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Ford, press agent of the "Two Orphans" Combination, called at our office this morning. He is a gentleman of the first water, and represents a first-class entertainment.

**The Expense** of conducting Linn & Scruggs' business requires a smaller per centage on amount of sales than any dry goods house in the United States.
oct 7-d&wtf

**If every one** will go into Curtis & Righter's and examine their prices they will find it to be to their interest to buy their watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles of them. They have the largest and most complete stock in the city, and are the sole agents for the justly celebrated Crystal Spectacles. Give them a trial.

**Ladies' Furnishing Goods** will be sold very cheap, at S. EINSTEIN'S.
26-d6t

## A CARD.

CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 25, 1875.

*To the citizens of Decatur:*

It having come to our knowledge that certain interested parties are circulating reports that we have taken the sale of our pianos away from Messrs. P. T. Locke & Co., we wish to pronounce all such statements false, as our relations with them have been and are now of the most friendly character. Two of the pianos which we had on consignment with Messrs. Locke & Co., were obtained from them, and were being taken off out of the State in what we considered a very suspicious way, and with the aid of Locke & Co. we replevied these two pianos, and their enemies are trying to make use of these facts to injure them in the sale of other instruments. We have very recently sent Messrs. Locke & Co. a new supply of both Chickering and Haines Bros. pianos, selected with great care, from a large lot of new stock just received at our rooms, and those who wish a *first-class piano* should see them. Respectfully,
27-dtf A. REED & SONS.

**S. Einstein** is still receiving new Calicos, which he sells 20 yards for one dollar. [26-d6t

## *DAVIS' NURSERIES.*

Has now ready for fall delivery 200,000 Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000 Shade Trees; also, hundreds of Cherry, Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything in the nursery line—will set and insure this fall, if wanted. Prices and catalogues on application to
H. W. DAVIS,
Box 141, Decatur, Ill.

PURE BRED FOWLS.

I have also for sale at my Nurseries, 200 to 300 Pure Bred Fowls, raised this year, of the following breeds: Buff Cochin, Black Cochin, Partridge Cochin, Light Brahmas, Dark Brahmas, Plymouth Rocks and Houdans.

Also, the best WATER ELEVATOR known; draws with two buckets. Throw out your pumps and draw off the surface water and preserve your health. Prices and description on application to
H. W. DAVIS,
sep22-dawtf1ms Decatur, Ill.

**Boys' and Youths' Clothing,** just received at B. Stine's. 4-d1m

**Embroideries** and Hamburg Edgings, cheaper at Goldburg's than at any other place. 27-d4w1

## *WESTERN COAL AND MINING CO.*

The Western Coal and Mining Co. are filling orders for any quantity of superior Howlett, Anthracite, Block and Blacksmith Coal, to any part of the city, at lowest prices.

Office at Water street crossing of T., W. & W. R'y.
sep18-dtf] R. MCCLELLAND, Ag't.

**Gents' Suits** made to order in the the very latest style at
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## FOR SALE!

Six acres of land, adjoining the city on the northeast. It is well adapted for gardening purposes, being in a high state of cultivation; it has 75 fine bearing cherry trees, and is surrounded by a good four-year old hedge. Price low and terms easy. For particulars inquire of A. A. MURRAY.
Oct. 20-d1m

**Linn & Scruggs** have just received all numbers of Madame Foy's skirt supporting corset, Mrs. S. A. Moody's abdominal corset, and the Jacqueline corset. Also, a complete assortment of Hip-gore and French corsets, of superior makes, and at *the lowest price.*
21-d&wtf

**For Sale.**—A two-story brick house, situated on the corner of Franklin and Eldorado streets, directly west from Stapp's Chapel. Said house is on a lot 80x150 feet, and has a good well and cistern, with gas fixtures, and all modern conveniences; also a good stable.

For further information apply at the office of the Decatur Woolen Mill.
17-dtf

**Everybody** in want of an overcoat is invited to look through B. Stine's assortment. His stock comprises all the novelties of the season. 4-d1m

**Wake Up!** to the fact that L. L. Ferriss has the most *complete* facilities for suiting you in every whim in the boot and shoe line. All the goods the store will hold. Boots and shoes to measure—*to suit your feet.* The best stock of boots and shoes west of Longitude 74. Sept. 50 dtf

**Fancy Articles,** worth $2.00, sold at Goldburg's for 90 cents. 20-d4w1

**Room with Power to Rent.**—Parties wishing to rent a room, 24x50, with steam power, for manufacturing purposes, will find a good opportunity by applying soon. Also, a good second hand small engine, in excellent running order, for sale cheap, at
oct 23-dtf H. MUELLER & Co's.

**A Splendid Stock** of Blankets and Flannels, at Linn & Scruggs'.
oct 7-d&wtf

**Wanted.**—A good girl to do the housework of a small family. To one who can come well recommended, *good wages* and a permanent situation will be given. Apply at this office. [tf.

**Fresh Baltimore Oysters,** at
24-dtf SYLVESTER BROS'.

**Call** at Linn & Scruggs' for Ribbons and Hamburg Edging 21-dawtf

**Choice Dairy Butter,** at
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**Gents' Under-garments,** in all colors and grades, at astonishingly low figures, at B. Stine's. 4-d1m

**Fine White Dress Shirts,** at B. Stine's.
4-d1m

## DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, October 30, 1875.

| | RETAIL. | |
|---|---|---|
| Lard, per pound | | 17 |
| Ham, " | | 17 |
| Shoulder " | | 12½ |
| Pears, per box | | 1.50@1.75 |
| Squashes, apiece | | 5@20 |
| Green apples, per peck | | 40 |
| New Potatoes per peck | | 10 |
| Onions, per peck | | 20 |
| Beets, per peck | | 15 |
| Turnips, per peck | | 25 |
| Chickens, per dozen | | 2.50@3.00 |
| Sweet Potatoes, per peck | | 40 |
| New Cabbage, per head | | 5@15 |
| Cider, per gallon | | 50 |
| Vinegar, " | | 40 |
| Eggs, " dozen | | 22 |
| Butter packed, per pound | | 30 |
| " fresh, " | | 30 |
| FLOUR—white wheat, ₰ hundred | | 4.25 |
| " red " | | 3.90 |
| " superfine, " | | 2.75 |
| " middlings, " | | 1.50 |
| CORN MEAL—₰ bushel | | 90 |
| RYE—₰ bushel | | 90 |
| OATS—₰ bushel | | 45@50 |
| CORN—₰ bushel | | 45 |
| " shelled, per bush | | 45 |
| HAY—Timothy, ₰ ton | | 12.00 |
| OATS—₰ bushel | | 35 |
| **WHOLESALE.** | | |
| WHEAT—best white, per bushel | | 1.30 |
| " " red, " | | 1.30 |
| CORN—per bushel | | 45 |
| OATS—" | | 28@30 |
| BUTTER—₰ ₰ | | 25 |
| EGGS—per doz | | 20 |
| LARD—₰ ₰ | | 13½ |
| BACON—Sides | | 13½ |
| HAMS—sugar-cured | | 14@15 |
| SHOULDERS—per ₰ | | 8@10½ |
| HOGS—Live, per hundred | | 6.50@7.00 |
| CATTLE—" " | | 4.50@6.50 |
| SHEEP—" " per head, undocked | | 3.00 |
| " " " sheared | | 3.50 |
| NEW POTATOES—per bu | | 25 |
| PEACHES—Dried, per ₰ | | 8 |
| APPLES—" | | 8 |
| " Green ₰ bu | | 1.25 |
| WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium | | 25@27 |
| " " heavy fine | | 25@27 |
| " " combing | | 25@30 |
| " Fleece washed, choice | | 40 |
| " " fine & heavy | | 30@35 |
| " Tubwashed, choice | | 45 |
| " " inferior | | 10@42 |
| HIDES—Green, ₰ ₰ | | 6 |
| " Salted cured, " | | 9@9½ |
| " Calf, " | | 10 |
| " Dry salt | | 10 |
| " Dry Flint | | 12 |
| [Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price. branded, 10 per ct. off.] | | |
| SHEARLING PELTS | | 15 |
| FEATHERS—Prime, ₰ ₰ | | 60@65 |
| " Common, ₰ ₰ | | 35@40 |
| TALLOW—Cake | | 7 |


## *New Advertisements.*

—AT THE—

HAT STORE!

A Fine Stock of

LADIES' FURS!

In MINK, SEAL, Etc.

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Buck, Kid, Dogskin, Cloth

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For Gentlemen's wear—one of the BEST ASSORTMENTS in the city.

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Mens' Furnishing Goods,

A Large Stock, and all sold at low prices

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Decatur, Oct. 28, 1875—d&wtf

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Livery Stable!

On the corner of

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Is now complete, and stocked with

FIRST-CLASS

TURNOUTS!

BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES,

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*Particular attention paid to furnishing Carriages for Parties, and to and from the depot.*

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Furnished for Funerals,

Under the supervision of an experienced man.

☞ All orders for Bus or Carriages, to meet the trains, left at the office of the St Nicholas Hotel, will be promptly attended to.
N. LAUX & BRO.
Decatur, Oct. 25—d1m

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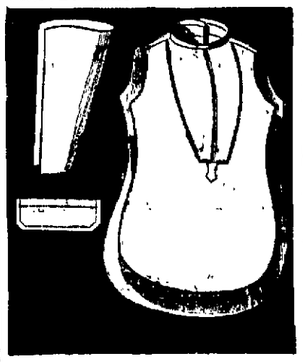
PARTLY-MADE DRESS SHIRTS.



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At prices that defy competition.

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October 27, 1875—dawtf.

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KRAMER & McCLELLAND, Proprietors.

MANUFACTURERS OF

Carriages, Phætons,
Open and Top Buggies,
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SPRING WAGONS!

They constantly keep on hand, and are making to order, all the latest styles, which they put up in the most thorough and workmanlike manner. They employ none but first-class workmen, and are always particular to use no material but the very best.

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As they pay cash for all material, they can sell their work at bottom figures.

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Sept. 20, 1875—daw2m.

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*READ THIS STATEMENT.*

For the benefit of our patrons and all who are suffering from Liver Complaint or any form of Bilious disease, we give the following statement of the case of one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Decatur—Mr. Wm. Lintner, of the firm of Wm. Lintner & Co., furniture and pump manufacturers:

Some eight months ago Mr. Lintner's health began to fail in consequence of bilious derangement, and he gradually and steadily grew worse, until his recovery was entirely despaired of by his friends and many able physicians. At their suggestion, some three months ago, in company with his son, he went to New York and put himself under careful treatment at the best medical institution to be found, bringing to his aid all that money and science could command, but instead of encouragement, after a two weeks' careful study of his case, Dr. Foster Clifton Springs, N. Y told him his liver was almost entirely hardened and that his case was utterly hopeless, that no medicine could do him any good, and he advised him to return to his friends, arrange his business affairs, take no medicine, and live as comfortably as possible as long as he might, which could not be long. He was brought home, given up by all as beyond human aid. He laid in a gradually sinking condition, vomiting daily, and looking more like a corpse than a living man, when a friend whose wife had received great benefit from it, requested him to try *Malarion*, which he did, and he began to improve within a few hours after taking the first dose. His vomiting gradually ceased, his bowels became regular, and he grew stronger and better for three weeks, when his friends, becoming hopeful of his recovery, had a consultation, and finding out what he was taking they took Malarion from him and prescribed other medicines, which he took for about a week, when his old symptoms came back upon him, vomiting again set in, and he was forced to return to the remedy which first gave him relief, and since then he has taken no other medicine than Malarion. He has taken less than two bottles, and is to day nearly a well man, with more youthful vigor and buoyancy, and promise of long life and health than he has had for years, and he says unhesitatingly, "MALARION HAS SAVED MY LIFE." SNYDER & GUE, General Agents for Malarion.

I hereby certify that the above statement of my case is correct and true.
WM. LINTNER.
DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 25, 1875—d&wtf


NOTICE

—OF—

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Springfield, Decatur and Indianapolis Railway Company will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, the 6th DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1875,

at the office of the Company, in Tuscola, Douglas county, Illinois, in order to take action and act upon a proposed consolidation of the stock, property and franchises of said native company with the stock, property and franchises of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railway Company, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

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|---|---|
| A. Tuley, | C. Lee 18, |
| W. H. Lamb, | J. W. McKenzie, |
| E. W. S. Hunter, | W. Alvy, |
| A. Barson, | Thos. H. Macnaghtry, |
| H. B. Hammond, | G. W. Stoner. |

Directors.

TUSCOLA, ILL., Sept. 27, 1875. [sep28-w9t


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## Executors' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Executors of the estate Edmund Walton, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, 20th day of December, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

P. L. WOOD,
SAMUEL WALTON,
Decatur, Oct 28, 1875—w6w Executors.

The Daily Republican.

## OFFICIAL.

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Leiut Governor......A. A. Glenn.
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Sup't Public Instruction......S. M. Etter.

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14th Dist......J. G. Cannon.

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S. S. Jack, John H. Tyler.

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Clerk Circuit Court......E. McClellan

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County Surveyor......Geo V. Loring
Coroner......D Aungst.

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Mayor......R. H. Meriweather
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" 2d "....H B Durfee, W M Boyd
" 3d "....I. W. Ehrman, B. F. Stephens.
" 4th "....J W Butman, J L Peake
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Supervisor......George Dempsey
Deputy Marshal......Jos S Hewes
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BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, E. W. Moore, W H Harris and W. C. Johns; E. W. Moore, President; E. A. Gastman, Sup't and Clerk.

*Decatur Township Officers.*

Town Clerk......Geo Goodman
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Collector......H. H. Brown
Commissioners of Highways A. J. Williams
Henry Cassell J. M. Lowry.
Justices of Peace, { M. K. Hatch, T B Albert / Ed. Hughes G. W. Baker
Constables } H Churchman, J J H Young J W Carter, J H Mauzy, S Weltsel

*Board of Supervisors.*

Decatur......Jacob Spangler, D. L. Hughes and Henry Hummell
Friends Creek......J W Brown
Austin......Robert Morris
Blue Mound......Frank Coleman
Macon......W S Gage
Mt. Zion......William Davis
Whitmore......J. C. Ruddock
Niantic......James Dinsman
Harristown......M. G. Camron
Hickory Point......A McBride
Oakley......Wm Grason
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*CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.*

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. Robert Mackenzie, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. W. H. Reed, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

STAPP'S CHAPEL (METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. Wm. Stevenson, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. W S Prentice Presiding Elder.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Northeast corner of Water and Will streets. Rev. Mr. Bonham pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. W W DeWolfe rector. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Cor. Broadway and Eldorado streets. Rev. L. Field, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. N. S. Haynes pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. G. J. Keller, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square. Rev. M W Tabor, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Hickey, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass, High mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. O. V. Kenniston, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

*BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.*

O. U. A.

DECATUR COUNCIL No. 2, O. U. A. M., meets at their hall over Hildebrandt's drug store, every Thursday evening.

MASONIC.

MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night, on or preceding full moon every month. E. D. Carter, W. M. J. S. Carter, Secretary.

IONIC LODGE, No. 312, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. R. C. Crocker, W. M.; ... Secretary.

MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting Tuesday night, on or preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; W. H. Gibson, Secretary.

... COUNCIL, No. 18.—A. A. Murray, ...; Wm. L. Hammer ... Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; ... Regular meeting third Thursday each month.

ODD FELLOWS.

CELESTIAL LODGE, No. 186.—S. G. Richmond, N. G.; Wm. H. Patterson, R. S.; J. W. Ehrman, P. Meet every Monday, at Odd Fellows Hall.

DECATUR ENCAMPMENT, No. ...—G. Richmond, C. P.; Wm. Lowing, Scribe. Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month at Odd Fellows Hall.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. ...—... Hughes, V. G.; ... Hartley, R. S.; O. M. Rivers, P. S.; George W. Baker, Treasurer. Meets every Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

... LODGE, No. ...—Knights of Pythias. C. J. Hunter, C. C.; W. R. Samuel, K. of R. S., meets Saturday evening, at their hall, cor. of E. Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. of G. T. No. 61. J. R. Gulin, W. C. T.; Theodore Coleman, W. R. S. Meets every Monday evening in their new hall in Court House building, South Water street.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Prairie street, Shoaf & Co.'s new building, second floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $3. Annual members shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas P. Hatch, Secretary; Mrs. A. P. Hill, Treasurer.

DECATUR READING ROOM SOCIETY.—Room in Post Office block, with the Library Association.—Open from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. On Sunday from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. The tables are well supplied with newspapers and magazines and are free to all. The regular meeting of the Board of Directors is to meet at the rooms on the first Thursday of each month, at 7½ o'clock, p. m. E. A. Gastman, President; R. P. Lytle, Secretary.

CHORAL SOCIETY. Meets every Friday evening, at the music rooms of Miss Green. Any person may become a member by the payment of one dollar, on application being made to the President or Secretary. W. A. Barnes, President; J. N. Baker, Secretary.

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On the arrival of the trains from the East or South, the trains of the Chicago & North-Western Railway leave Chicago as follows:

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FOR ROCKFORD, STERLING, KENOSHA, Janesville, and other points, you can have from two to ten trains daily.

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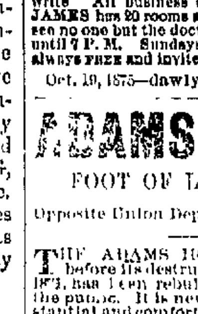

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*First Monday of December, A. D.* 1875,

and that unless you, the said defendants, and each of you, then and there, appear, and plead, answer or demur to said complainants' bill, the same and the allegations therein will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
GROO & ELDRIDGE and E. LE... and L. PARK, Complainants' Solicitors.
Decatur, Oct. 20, 1875—d4t

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## CHANCERY NOTICE.

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when and where, unless they, the said Daniel Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel Loucks, Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth Kuisley, Barbara Fullerton, John H. McGuigan, George W. McGuigan and Peter McGuigan shall appear, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against them. EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
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